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*The DIVINITY of our Blessed Saviour proved
out of the Old Testament, and the exact time of
his Birth. •*

Isa. 7. 14. **B**Ehold a Virgin shall conceive and bring forth a Son, and
16. shall call his Name *EMANUEL*; and before the
Child shall know to refuse the Evil, and choose the Good, the
Land shall be forsaken of both her Kings.

Ch. 9. 6. Unto us a Child is born, unto us a Son is given, and the
Government shall be upon his Shoulders; his Name shall be
called *Wonderful, Counsellor, the Mighty God, Everlasting Fa-
ther, the Prince of Peace*; of the increase of his Government
and Peace there shall be no end. The Zeal of the Lord of
Hosts will perform it.

Ch. 42. 1. Behold mine Elect in whom my Soul delighteth, he shall
bring forth Judgment for the Gentiles.

Ch. 11. 1, 2, 3, 4. There shall come forth a Rod out of the Stem of *Jesse*, and
a Branch out of his Root. The Spirit of the Lord shall be
upon him: The Spirit of Wisdom and Understanding, of
Council and Might, of Knowledge and of the Fear of the Lord;
He shall smite the Earth with the Rod of his Mouth, and with
the Breath of his Lips, shall he slay the Wicked.

Ver. 16. And in that Day there shall be a Root of *Jesse*, which shall
stand for an Ensign of the People; to it shall the Gentiles seek,
and his Rest shall be glorious. *Compare with Rom 15. 10, 11, 12.*

Mich. 5. 2. Thou *Bethlehem Ephrata*, out of thee shall come forth to
me, he who is to rule the Nations, whose goings forth have been
from Everlasting.

Mal. 3. 1. The Lord whom ye seek shall suddenly come to his Temple.

Ch. 4. 2. But unto you who fear his Name, shall the Sun of Righteous-
ness arise with Healing in his Wings.

Pf. 110. The Lord said unto my Lord, Sit thou on my Right-hand
till I make thine Enemies thy Foot-stool.

Pf. 45. 6, 7. Thy throne, O God, is for ever and ever, a Sceptre of righteous-
ness is thy Sceptre; thou hast loved Righteousness and hated
Iniquity; therefore God, even thy God, hath anointed thee with
the oyl of Gladness.

Isa. 22. 22. The Key of the House of *David*, will I lay upon his Shoul-
ders; so He shall open, and none shall shut, and he shall shut,
and none shall open,

Pf. 102. 25. Thou Lord in the beginning hast laid the Foundations of the
Earth, and the Heavens are the work of thy Hands.

Pf. 110. 4. The Lord hath sworn and will not repent, thou art a priest for
ever after the order of *Melchisedeck*. *compare it with Heb. 5. 6.*

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*The DIVINITY of our Blessed Saviour and
Great Redeemer, proved out of the New Testa-
ment.*

Luk 1.30. **F**ear not Mary, for thou hast found Favour with God. Behold thou shalt conceive in thy Womb, and bring forth a Son, and shall call his Name *JESUS*.

V. 33. 32. He shall be great, and shall be called the Son of the Highest. Of his Kingdom there shall be no end. The Holy Ghost shall come upon thee, and the Power of the Highest shall over-shadow thee. Therefore that holy Thing which shall be born of thee shall be called the Son of God.

Luk 2.10. The Angels of the Lord came unto them, and the Glory of the Lord shone round about them, and they were sore afraid; and the Angels said unto them, Fear not: I bring you good Tidings of great Joy, which shall be to all People; for unto us is born this Day in the City of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord. And suddenly there was with the Angel a multitude of the heavenly Host, praising God, and saying, Glory be to God in the Highest, on Earth, Peace, Good-will towards Men.

Mar. 1.16. *At his Baptism, the Heavens were opened, and the Spirit like a Dove descended upon him, and, there came a Voice from Heaven, saying, Thou art my beloved Son, in thee I am always well pleased.*

Mat. 17.5 This is my well beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased, hear ye him! *said at his Transfiguration by a Voice out of the Cloud upon the holy Mount.*

Joh 12.28 *Jesus saith, Father, Glorify thy Name; then came there a Voice from Heaven, saying, I have both glorified it, and I will glorify it again. His Birth was attested by Angels. His Baptism, his Transfiguration and Passion, favoured with particular and audable Voices from Heaven, to manifest to the unbelieving World*

Lu. 21.33 *that he was the Son of God, who said Heaven and Earth shall pass away, but my Words shall not pass away.*

Mar. 13. 31. Those who will not be persuaded to believe in our Lord and
Mat. 10. Saviour *Jesus Christ*, would do well to consider what he hath
33. left upon Record, *Those who deny me before Men, them will I deny before my Father which is in Heaven.*

Mat. 27. At his yielding up the Ghost, the Vail of the Temple was
51, 52. rent, to shew that Gentiles, as well as Jews, had free Access to the Holy of Holies. — Rocks did rent, the Earth quaked, Graves were opened, many Saints arose, went into the holy City, and appeared visible, which made the Centurion, tho' an Infidel, say, *Truly, this was the Son of God.*

John. 1. 10 In the Beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the World, and the World was made by him, and the World knew him not.

Ver. 14. And the *Logos*, or *Word*, was made Flesh, and dwelt among us, and we beheld his Glory, the Glory as of the only begotten of the Father, full of Grace and Truth; and of his Fulness have we all received Grace.

Ver. 29. The Lamb of God who taketh away the Sins of the World.
32. John bare record, and said, I saw the Spirit descending from Heaven like a Dove; and it abode upon him, and I knew him not, but he who sent me to baptize with Water, said unto me, Upon whom thou shalt see the Spirit descending and resting, the same is he, who baptizeth with the Holy Ghost.

Ver. 34. And I saw, and bare record, that the same is the Son of God.

Heb. 1. 2, 3 God hath in these last Days spoken to us by his Son, by whom also he made the World.

The brightness of his Father's Glory, and the express Image of his Person; upholding all things by the Word of his Power, when he had by himself purged our Sins, sat down at the right hand of the Majesty on high.

Joh. 14. 6. Jesus saith, I am the Way, the Truth, and the Life, no Man cometh unto the Father, but by me.

Ver. 11. Believe me, I am in the Father, and my Father in me, or else believe me for the very Works sake.

Mat. 11. 5. The Blind receive their Sight, the Lame walk, the Lepers are cleansed, the Deaf hear, the Dead are raised, and the Poor have the Gospel preached to them.

Ver. 6. Blessed is he, who shall not be offended in me.

John 16. All things that the Father hath are mine.

15,
28. I came forth from the Father into the World, again I leave the World, and go to the Father.

Joh. 10. 30 I and my Father are one.

38. The Father is in me, and I in him.

Ch. 8. 42. I came forth from God, neither came I of my self, but he sent me.

Joh. 17. 5. Father, glorifie me with thine own self, with the Glory which I had with thee before the World.

Ver. 10. All mine are thine, and thine are mine, and I am glorified in them.

Ver. 3. Thou hast given him power over all Flesh, that he should give eternal Life, and this is Life eternal, to know thee the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom thou hast sent.

Here are Three who bare record in heaven, the Father the Word, and the Holy Ghost, and these three are one.

He thought it not robbery to be equal with God.

Phil. 2. 6.

Being justified by his Blood, we shall be saved from Wrath through him.

Rom. 5. 9.

For he is our peace; For through him we have access to the Father, Who hath translated us into the Kingdom of his dear Son.

Eph. 1. 14.

18.

Col. 1. 13,

14, 17.

By whom we have Redemption through his Blood, the forgiveness of our Sins, who is the Image of the invisible God; by him were all things Created, and for him, he is before all things, and by him do all things consist; for it pleased the Father that in him should all Fulness dwell.

The Lord Jesus shall be revealed from Heaven with his mighty Angels in flaming Fire, to take Vengeance on them who know not God, and do not obey the Gospel of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ; who shall be punished with everlasting destruction, from the Glory of the Lord, and the presence of his power.

2 Thes. 1.

7, 8, 9.

Whom he raised from the dead, and set him at his own right hand far above every Name that is Named, not only in this World, but in that which is to come, and hath put all things under his Feet.

Eph. 1. 20.

Fear not, I am Alpha and Omega, and Behold I live for ever more. Amen. I am the First and the Last, who was dead and am alive; I have the Key of Death and Hell. I open, and no Man shutteth, I shut, and none openeth.

Rev. 3. 7.

Jesus Christ the same Yesterday, to Day, and for ever.

Heb. 13. 8.

He several times foretold his own Death, and who should betray him, and the Destruction of Jerusalem.

Behold we go to Jerusalem, and the Son of Man shall be betrayed unto the chief Priests and Scribes; and they shall condemn him to Death; and deliver him to the Gentiles; and they shall mock him, and scourge him, spit on him, and kill him, and the third day he shall rise again.

Mar. 10.

33.

As Jonas was three days and three nights in the Whales Belly, so shall the Son of Man be three days and three nights in the Heart of the Earth.

Mat. 12.

40.

Jesus saith the Hour is come, when the Son of Man shall be Glorified.

John 12.

Now is the Son of Man Glorified, and God is Glorified in him, and God shall also Glorify him.

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Ch. 13. 31.

He told the utter Destruction of the City and Temple of the Jews, Ver. 2. 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18.

Mark 13.

Behold the hand of him that betrayeth me, is with me on the Table; but wo unto that Man by whom I am betrayed; It had been good for that Man, if he had not been born.

Luke 22.

21, &c.

Mark 14.

This Man purchased a Field with the Reward of Iniquity, and falling down head-long, burst a sunder, and his Bowels gushed out.

21.

Acts 1. 18.

Our Blessed Saviour is called *Jehovah Eloim*, the Lord God of the Holy Prophets, in the Old Testament; which are the incommunicable Properties and Titles of the Great God.

Pf. 102. 25. Thou Lord [addressing to *Jehovah*] of old hast laid the Foundations of the Earth.

Zech. 11. 13. And the Lord Jehovah said unto me, *Cast it unto the Potter, a goodly price was I valued at of the Children of Israel.*

Zech. 12. 10. They shall look on me, [*Jehovah*] whom they have pierced.

Is. 40. 3. Behold the Voice of one crying in the Wilderness, prepare ye the way of the Lord *Jehovah*.

Hos. 1. 7. I will have mercy on the House of *Israel*, and will save them by the Name of the Lord *Jehovah*.

Is. 54. 13. And all thy Children shall be taught of the Lord *Jehovah*.

Ch. 44. 8. Is there a God, *Jehovah*, besides me, yea, there is no God, I know not any. Chap. 43. 11. I, even I am the Lord, and besides me there is no God.

Texts proving an Unity of Divine Attributes, in communion with the Father and the Son equally applied to both.

1 Kings 8. 39. Thou, even thou only, knowest the Hearts of all Men.

Jer. 17. 10. I, the Lord, search the Heart and try the Reins.

Isa. 44. 6. I am the First and the Last, and besides me there is no God.

Ch. 9. 6. The Wonderful, Counseller, Almighty God, everlasting Father, and the Prince of Peace.

Ch. 61. 1. The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because the Lord hath anointed me to preach Good Tidings to the Meek.

He hath sent me to heal the broken hearted, to proclaim Liberty to the Captives, and Sight to the Blind.

Gen. 1. 26. And God said, *Let us make Man in our own Image after our own Likeness.*

Our

Our Blessed Saviour is Called by the Name *Jehovah*.
And the Lord God of the holy Prophets. Compare Luke
1. 16, 17. *Rev.* 22. with the Old Testament or *Jehovah Elohim*.

Thou Lord in the Beginning hast laid the foundations of the *Heb.* 1. 10
Earth, and the Heavens are the work of thy Hands.

Then was fulfilled that which was spoken by the Prophet, They *Matth.*
took the thirty pieces of Silver, the price of him who was valued, 17. 9.
and gave them to the Potter's Field, as the Lord had appointed.

They shall look on him [*Jesus Christ*] whom they have pier- *Joh.* 19.
ced. 37.

The Voice of one crying in the wilderness, *Prepare ye the way* *Mat.* 3. 3.
of the Lord [*Christ*.]

Unto you is Born in the City of David, a Saviour, which is *Luk* 2. 11
Christ the Lord.

It is written in the Prophets, *They shall be taught of God*. Every *John* 6.
man that hath heard and learned of the Father, cometh unto me. 45.

There is no condemnation to them who are in *Christ Jesus*. *Rom.* 8. 1.
Christ came, who is over all, God Blessed for evermore. *Ch.* 9. 5.

Texts proving an Unity of Divine Attri-
butes, applied equally to the Father and the
Son.

He knew all Men, and needed not that any should testifie of *Joh* 2. 24.
Man, for he knew what was in Man.

I am he who search the Reines and Heart. *Rev.* 2. 3.

I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the Ending, *Ch.* 1. 8;
saith the Lord, which is, and was the Almighty Lord. 17.

I am the First, and I am the Last.

For the same *Lord* over all, is Rich unto all, who call upon *Rom.* 10.
him; King of Kings and *Lord* of *Lords*. 12.

Who only hath Immortality dwelling in light, that no *1 Tim.* 6.
Man can approach to. 16.

Lord God of the Holy Prophets. *Rev.* 2. 2.

Compare it with *Luke* 4. 18, 19, 20. to preach the accepta-
ble Year of the Lord, this day is this Scripture fulfilled in your
Ears.

He was in the Beginning with God, all things were made by *John* 1. 2.
him, and without him, was not any thing made, that was made.

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He laid the whole Stress of his Doctrine upon his Rising from the Dead, which was accomplish'd the verytime he foretold.

John 20.
12.

Mary Magdeline came weeping to the Sepulchre, stooped down, and saw two Angels sitting in white, the one at the Head, the other at the Feet where the Body of Jesus had lain.

14.

She turned her self, saw Jesus, and knew him, after a while to be her Lord, whom at first she took for the Gardiner. Jesus saith unto her, *Touch me not, for I am not yet ascended to my Father.* He sendeth her to his Disciples, and appeareth to them the first Day of the Week himself, when the Doors were shut for fear of the Jews, stood in the midst and said unto them, *Peace be unto you.* Then were the Disciples glad when they saw the Lord; but Thomas not being with them, he appeared again to them when Thomas was there, and shewed him his Side, his Hands and his Feet, who being convinced, cried out *My Lord and my God.*

Chap. 21

He shewed himself to them at the Sea of Tiberias.

Luke 24.

Jesus met two Disciples going to Emmaus, and in a long Discourse convinced them of their *unbelief*, was afterwards seen of three Hundred Brethren at once, when he had conversed forty Days with his Disciples by many infallable Proofs, and speaking to them of things pertaining to the Kingdom of God, and did promise them the Holy Ghost, Saying, *Do not depart from Jerusalem but wait for the Promise which you have heard from the Father; Ye shall receive Power after the Holy Ghost is come upon you, and ye shall be my witnesses both in Judea, Jerusalem, and Samaria, and unto the utmost parts of the World.*

Aas 1.

And when he had spoken these things unto them, whilst they beheld, he was taken up, and a Cloud received him out of their sight.

And whilst they looked stedfastly toward Heaven, as he went up, Behold two Men stood by them in white Apparel, which also said, *Why stand ye gazing up into Heaven? This same Jesus who is taken from you into Heaven, shall so come in like manner as you have seen him go into Heaven.*

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